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FM AMEMBASSY KHARTOUM

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INFO AMEMBASSY ADDIS ABABA

AMEMBASSY CAIRO

AMEMBASSY JIDDA

AMEMBASSY LONDON

AMEMBASSY TRIPOLI

USCINCEUR

COMIDEASTFOR

DIA

UNCLAS KHARTOUM 0524

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PINT, PINS, SU

SUBJECT: THREE EXECUTED, MANY JAILED FOR
SEPT 5 COUP PARTICIPATION

REF: KHARTOUM 331

1. THREE ENLISTED MEN WERE EXECUTED FEBRUARY 22 AND FORTY-FIVE OTHERS GIVEN LIFE SENTENCES FOR INVOLVEMENT IN THE COUP ATTEMPT OF LAST SEPTEMBER 5. AN ADDITIONAL FORTY-SEVEN WERE JAILED FOR TERMS UP TO TEN YEARS. ONLY FOUR OUT OF THE 105 PERSONS TRIED BY THE SECOND STATE SECURITY TRIBUNAL WERE ACQUITTED WITH ACTION PENDING ON SIX OTHERS.

2. NINETEEN PERSONS IN ALL HAVE NOW BEEN EXECUTED IN THIS CASE, WITH ANNOUNCEMENTS ALWAYS COMING AFTER THE FACT. ALMOST TO A MAN, THE 105 ACCUSED WERE REPORTED TO HAVE CLAIMED TOTAL INNOCENCE, AND THE PRESS HAS REVEALED LITTLE
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